THE FRESHNESS OF LIFE'S EARLY SPRING

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a Young Lady of this City.

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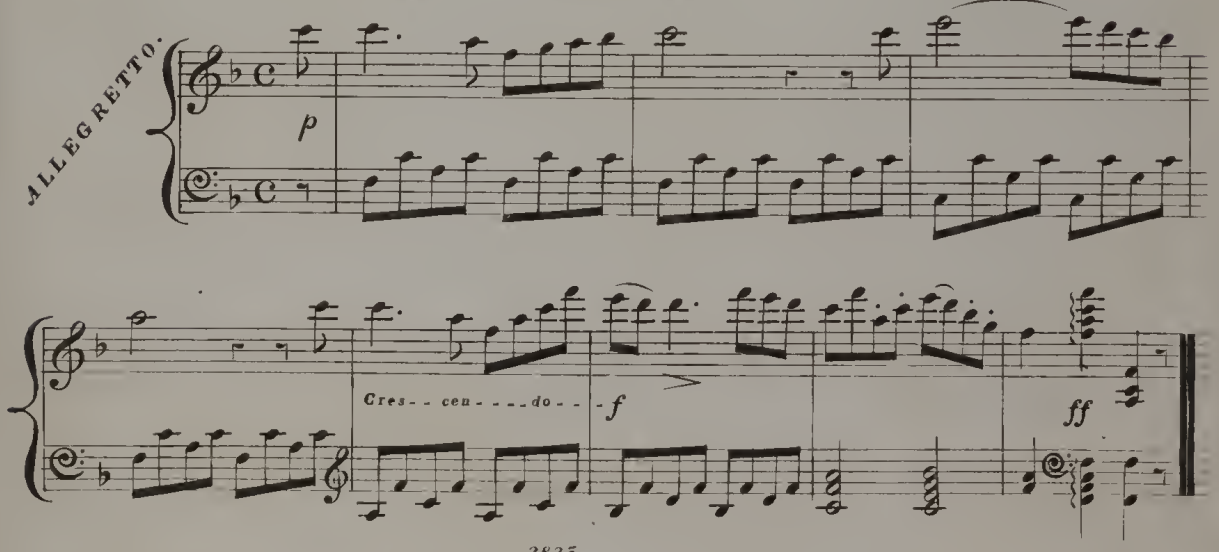
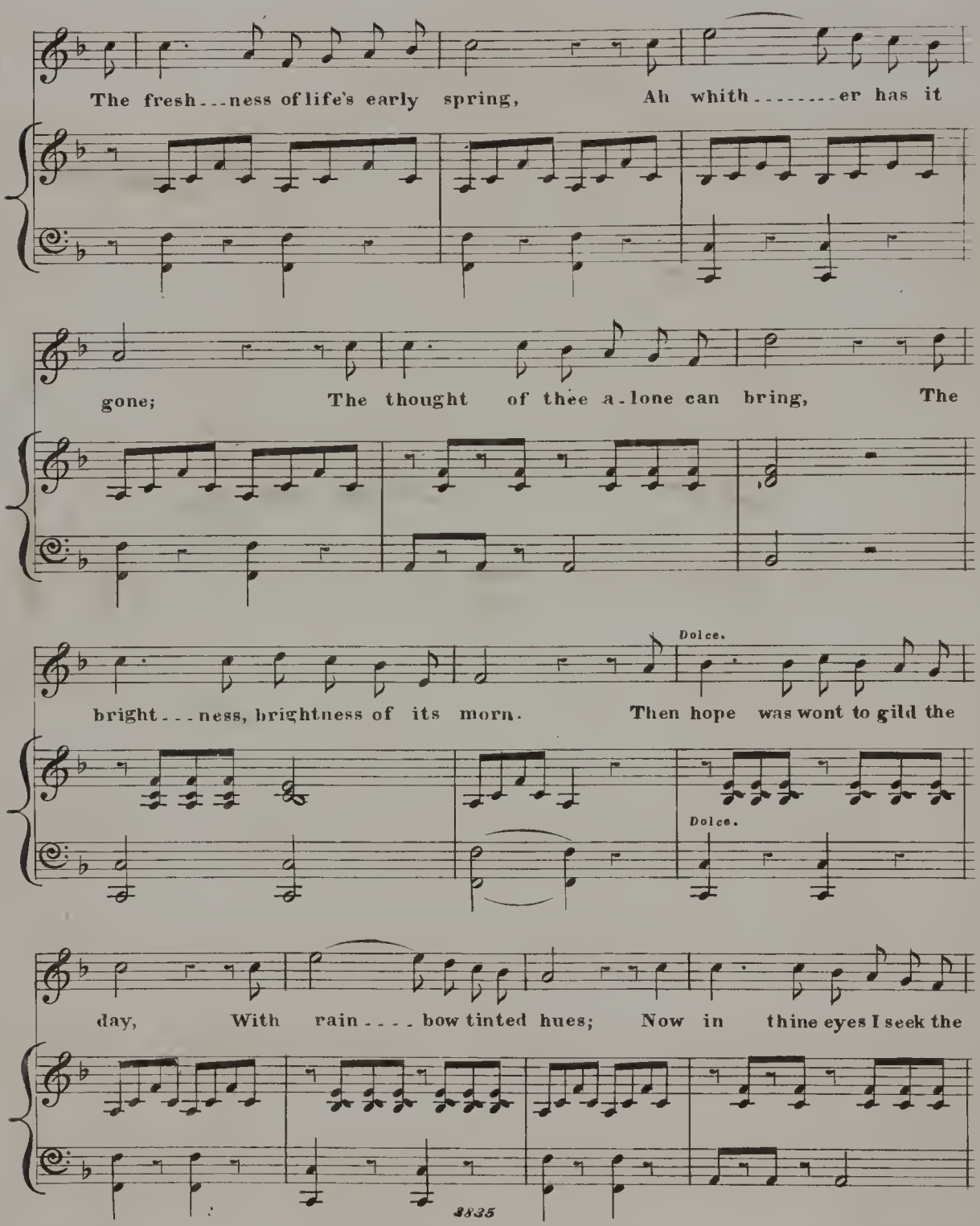
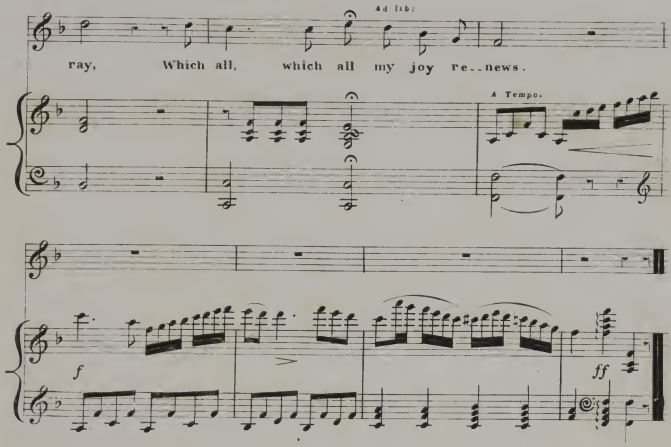



The fresh...ness of life's early spring, Ah whith.....er has it
gone; The thought of thee a-lone can bring, The
Dolce.
bright...ness, brightness of its morn. Then hope was wont to gild the
Dolce.
day, With rain....bow tinted hues; Now in thine eyes I seek the



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Then why exile my soul from thine,
Why bid me hope forget;
Since ev'ry pulse that throbs of mine,
Is thine till life's sun set.
Then welcome my lone weary heart,
Shed healing o'er my pain;
The bloom of life will ne'er depart,
Sorrow's approach is vain.